

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

NATHAN H. NIPPS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Cause No. 05-CV-693 DRH

**THE PERDUE PHARMA COMPANY
PURDUE PHARMA, L.P.,
PURDUE PHARMA, INC.,
PURDUE FREDERICK COMPANY,
THE P.F. LABORATORIES, INC., and
MALLINCKRODT, INC.,**

Defendants.

JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE

The Court having received a Stipulation for Dismissal signed by counsel of record advising this Court that the above action has been settled; and/or having been advised by counsel for the parties that the above action has been settled;

IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that this action is **DISMISSED with prejudice** with each party to bear its own costs.-----

NORBERT G. JAWORSKI, CLERK

January 22, 2007

By: s/Patricia Brown
Deputy Clerk

APPROVED: /s/ David RHerndon
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE